

CHARLES BROOKS, CLAIMANT
57 Nichols Ave. Stratford, Ct.
VS.
RAYBESTOS COMPANY now
RAYBESTOS-MANHATTAN, INC
EMPLOYER
AND
THE AMERICAN SURETY COMPANY OF NEW YORK
EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ASSURANCE CORP.
INSURERS-RESPONDENTS

CORAM:
COMPENSATION COMMISSION
FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL
DISTRICT
BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT
OCTOBER 24, 1939

AGREEMENT TO COMPROMISE
PETITION TO COMPROMISE
And
ORDER

WHEREAS on or about the 31st day of March, 1939 and for a number of years prior thereto, the claimant, Charles Brooks, of Stratford, Connecticut, was an employe of the Raybestos Company now Raybestos-Manhattan, Inc., of Bridgeport, Connecticut, and

WHEREAS the said employe and employer had accepted and were at all times herein mentioned subject to Part B of the Workmen's Compensation Act of the State of Connecticut, as amended, and the employer had insured its liability thereunder for various periods during which the said claimant was employed with - The American Surety Company of New York and The Employers' Liability Assurance Corporation, both of which said companies exist and do business under the laws of this State and are duly authorized to take such risks in this State, and

WHEREAS the claimant claims that on or about the 31st day of March, 1939 he suffered an occupational disease, to wit; Asbestosis and further claims that said occupational disease arose out of and in the course of his employment with the employer; and further claims that said disease is compensable; and further claims that he has been disabled from all work since March 31, 1939; and further claims that he will be disabled in the future, all of which said claims each and all of said respondents deny, and

WHEREAS the said Charles Brooks has a wife, Clara, who is a potential dependant, and

WHEREAS it is the desire of the claimant and the said respondents to reach an amicable adjustment of the above

claims to the sum then awarded as damages.

and disputed claims be rendered certain.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that I, the claimant have agreed to receive from

The American Surety Company of New York \$74.90

The Employers' Liability Assurance Corp. \$25.10

making a total sum of ONE HUNDRED and No/100 Dollars; and we the insurer respondents do agree to pay to the claimant the sum so specified, to wit:

The American Surety Company of New York \$74.90

The Employers' Liability Assurance Corp. \$25.10

in full accord and satisfaction of above disputed claims.

AND TO FURTHER CERTIFY that in consideration of said sums so paid, I, the claimant, do hereby remise, release and forever discharge the employer and all the insurer respondents from all claims for compensation benefits whether for compensation in any form payable to me under said Act or for surgical, medical or hospital benefits payable on my behalf and whether said claims have already arisen or hereafter might arise by reason of aforesaid claim for occupational disease.

AND TO FURTHER CERTIFY that I, Clara Brooks, wife of aforesaid claimant, Charles Brooks, do agree that in consideration of said sums so paid to remise, release and forever discharge each and all the above named respondents from any and all claims which I might hereafter have against any and all of them by reason of the alleged incurring of an occupational disease by the said Charles Brooks while in the employ of the said employer-respondents.

AND TO FURTHER CERTIFY that we, the claimant and the respondents hereby submit the written agreement to the Compensation Commissioner of the Fourth Congressional District and respectfully ask that said agreement may be approved with the force of a full and final award.

In witness thereof we hereunto set our hands the day and
date first above written.

WITNESSES:

L. A. Hansen

Charles O Brooks
CLAIMANT

Clara Brooks
POTENTIAL CLAIMANT

RAYBESTON COMPANY now
RAYBESTON MANHATTAN, INC

BY E. W. Hickman

THE AMERICAN SURETY CO OF NEW YORK

BY A. W. Quinlan

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ASSURANCE CORP.

BY E. P. Sweeney

Approved 24 day of October, 1939

E. T. Buckingham
Compensation Commissioner Fourth
Congressional District.

Received
OCT 24 1939
Compensation Commissioner
U. S. Department of Labor